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FORMATION OF PVKhO STUDY CIRCLES
NOW COMPULSORY FOR DOSAAF PRIMARY ORGANIZATIONS

An article in a recent issue of Kryl'ya Rodiny, monthly journal of Dosaaf USSR, reveals that formation of PVKhO (antiaircraft and anti-chemical defense) study circles by Dosaaf primary organizations is now compulsory.

The article, "On Certain Organizational Questions Concerning the Work of Dosaaf Committees," in Kryl'ya Rodiny, No 3, March 1952, written in the form of answers to questions sent in by Dosaaf members, contains, among others, the following questions and answers relating to PVKhO training.

Question: What sections should be organized under Dosaaf committees and what are their functions?

Answer: The following sections should be organized under republic, kray, oblast, city, and rayon Dosaaf committees: propaganda, military training and military sports, aviation training and aviation sports, naval training and naval sports, as well as PVKhO sections. The sections aid Dosaaf committees in organizing and conducting Dosaaf's mass military, training, and sports work.

Question: Who may enroll in [study] circles of Dosaaf primary organizations?

Answer: If only members without any military training whatever are being enrolled in training groups, all members may enroll in [study] circles. Persons who do have a military training, and persons who have completed their instruction in training groups, may also enroll. The purpose of instructing such persons is to give them either an elementary knowledge of another specialty or to allow them to advance their knowledge in a specialty already acquired.

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PVKhO circles should be the largest study circles in primary organizations and must be organized by all primary organizations. The basic purpose of such circles is to instruct members of Dosaaf and the population in the methods of antiaircraft and antichemical defense.

Children of school age are learning PVKhO methods in accordance with special study programs, as well as in study circles especially organized for them.

Question: In certain smaller Dosaaf primary organizations it is almost impossible to organize and to conduct mass military and sports activity because of the lack of facilities for the organization of training groups, study circles, and sports teams. What should be done in such a case?

Answer: In the smaller primary organizations, the organization of training groups may of course be more difficult. But PVKhO study circles must be organized by all, even the smallest Dosaaf primary organizations. Other study circles, as well as sports teams (rifle, ski, swimming, etc.), may be organized, in keeping with the wishes of members of the organization.

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